Copy of Letter to
Wm Bradford – Jan. 20. 1843.

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Bro. Bradford,

When I was in New-York some time since, I paid for the Evangelist sent to Clarissa Tryon, my mother, at Farmington Ct. up to April 25. 1840, and have your receipt to that effect. In the fall of 1841, my mother left Farmington and came to reside with us at Boston. At that time, I am quite sure I wrote you, directing her paper to be stopped. On visiting Farmington, however, some three months since, she found to her and my surprise, that the paper continued to be sent. On her return to this city, and informing me of the fact, I wrote to the Post Master at Farmington, requesting him to direct its discontinuance. He did so; and received in reply — "Mrs Tryon will please forward us the amount of her bill, and we will send a receipt and discontinue according to our advertised terms." The bill, accompanying, charged her "$8.14 For subscription, 2 years, 37 weeks, from No. 526, April 25. 1840 to No. 667, Jan. 7. 1843." I am willing to pay you for the time the paper has been sent, at your regular cash price. If that is satisfactory, I will thank you to charge the amount to me and send a receipt. If that is not satisfactory, charge the whole amount $8.14 — only see that the paper is now discontinued. I think, however, your regular cash price is all you should charge.

Yours respectfy,

A. A. Phelps.

E. Boston Jan. 20. 1843.